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HONOLULU NEWS.

Report of the Attorney-General.

RELIABLE NEWS FROM CHINA.

The St. John Divorce Case Still Unsettled.

Two Illicit Distilleries Destroyed in Alabama.

Latest Advices from Honolulu.
Special to the GAZETTE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 10.—The Honolulu papers of November 25th state that according to the accounts published in the late Sydney papers, Bloom and Douglass, owners of the yacht Beagle, who left this port very suspiciously a few weeks ago, were interested in the Australian Mercantile and Guarantee Association, and defrauded this Association out of large sums of money, through the assistance, it is alleged, of James Millar, the manager of the association. It is claimed that they have succeeded in getting away with 25,000 sovereigns, 6,000 of which belonged to Davis' mother. It has become known since the Beagle left, that about $24,000 in sovereigns was placed in the hands of a man named Leonard, to keep the money out of the hands of the authorities. The steamer Mariposa, which sailed from here on the 20th instant for San Francisco, carried the wives of Bell and Davis, accompanied by a man named Leonard and a young man named Bynne, a nephew of Davis. Another director of the same institution named Malcolm succeeded, it is stated, in getting away with £10,000 to the United States.

The steamer Albatross arrived at Honolulu on the 21st instant and is expected to remain in that port about two weeks, when she will make a second survey on her return trip to San Francisco.

Lieutenant Tanner states there is no reason why, in his opinion, that the cable could not be laid. There would be several difficulties to overcome, but only such as are usual in laying deep sea cables.

The uncle of Hon. Samuel Parker, the Minister of Finance, died in that city on November 23d, aged 64 years. He was formerly a member of the House of Nobles in 1887, having been appointed to that body by King Lunalilo.

The British steamer Zambesi, which arrived from Yokohama on November 23d, reports that the loss of life by the late earthquake in Gifu Ken, Japan, is 5,173 killed and 6,527 wounded.

The *Japan Gazette* says that late news mentions the arrival in Ogaki of two doctors from Nagoya and a few members of the Red Cross Society, which has proved a great relief to the wounded. The number of amputations appear to have been terrible. Although the weather generally has been mild, a heavy rainfall occurred, and the people have rigged up rough box-like sheds and shelters of wood and matting, and are huddled together in these in the streets. Comparatively few of the dead have been claimed by their friends, as many bodies are unrecognizable. Interment has been indifferently conducted, as one account makes mention of the limbs and bodies being heaped together and covered with debris. The odor is becoming very offensive from the unburied remains, and there is very serious grounds for fear lest disease should break out among the rescued.

The St. John Case.
By Cable and Associated Press.]

LONDON, Dec. 10.—The trial suit of Mrs. Florence St. John against her husband continued to-day. The interest in the case shows no sign of abatement in theater circles. Marius was again on the stand, but little of interest was elicited.

The witness admitted that once after a quarrel with his wife he tried to force his way out of the door, threatening to leave the house. He pushed her and she fell on the floor, striking the table. Mrs. St. John afterwards left the house and refused to live with him. The year following her separation from him he became acquainted with the actress Marie Bueno. Marius denied he had his wife watched.

He said his first wife was divorced from him on grounds of adultery and desertion. Marius declared if it were not for Mrs. St. John's mother and brother, he and his wife could live happily together.

Grain Market.
Special to the GAZETTE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 10.—Wheat, buyer season, $1 90.

Attorney-General's Report.
By Associated Press.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—The annual report of Attorney-General Miller was submitted to Congress to-day. It reviews the business of the United States Supreme Court, and devotes a chapter to the Circuit Court of Appeals, which, he says, has been organized in each circuit and is ready for business, although the additional Circuit Judge in each circuit has not yet been appointed. Mention was made of the heavy increase in the business of the Court of Claims, and a recommendation was made that the working force of each Court be largely increased. He says it is also necessary that some provision be made for a representation of the interests of the Government before the Board of Appraisers in the custom houses, which are appealed from the collector to the Board of Appraisers. He invited attention to the special report on the subject of Indian depredation claims, and shows the importance of a change in the condition of that business, as the claims now aggregate $20,000.

On the subject of United States prisons the Attorney-General says: "In pursuance of the recommendations of the annual report of this department, a bill was passed by the last Congress authorizing the construction of three United States prisons to be located, one north and another south of the thirty-ninth degree of north latitude and east of the Rockies, and the third west of the Rockies, but by an evident inadvertance, failed to make any appropriation for the purchase of such sites and the erection of such buildings. I recommend that the appropriations evidently contemplated by that act, be made, so that this work may go forward.

After speaking of the well-known difficulties in the enforcement of the Chinese exclusion act, he said: "If it is desired that these laws shall be made effective, they should be so changed that they cannot be misunderstood. To arrest and try such persons and as a result simply send them back across the British line, is shown to be an idle expenditure of time, labor and money, from the fact, as might well be expected, the same persons have to be arrested and tried over and over again. Moreover, it is quite uncertain whether the order requiring the Chinese sent back into British dominion could be made effective. This subject demands prompt consideration."

From information official and unofficial in regard to the administration of laws in Alaska, the Attorney-General is impressed that such administration is not satisfactory, and that it can only be made satisfactory by a new legislation.

The Attorney-General called attention to the evils of the "fee system" and advised to substitute stipulated salaries in all cases.

He reviewed the legal proceedings in the case of the Chilian steamer Itata and sums up as follows: "Upon the trial for this indictment, it was held by the District Court that these proceedings were not in violation of the neutrality laws of the United States; first, because the enterprise was a legitimate commercial transaction, and second, because the Congressional party of Chili, not having at that time received recognition from the government of the United States, either as a government de jure or as a belligerent, the acts done by representatives of and in the interest of that party was in no way hostile against the Chilian government, and were not in violation of any statute of the United States. In short that it is only in the interest of a government recognized as such either as de jure or as belligerent, that the neutrality statute of the United States can be violated. Without a discussion of the proposition of whether the transaction was a legitimate commercial one, I venture a suggestion that, in case of serious injury to the commercial or other interests of a nation with which we are at peace, by ships fitted out in our harbors, a plea of such non-recognition is a very insufficient answer. If the construction given to these statutes by a trial court shall be sustained on appeal, the statute should, I think, be amended."

He reports that five suits have been commenced under the Act of August 7, 1888, requiring all telegraph lines, subsidized by the government, by and through their own respective corporate officers and employes to maintain and operate for the railroad, governmental, commercial and all other purposes such telegraph lines, and requiring the Attorney-General, by proper proceedings, to prevent any unlawful interference with the rights and equities of the United States in relation to such telegraph lines.

The Prevalent Epidemic.
By Cable and Associated Press.]

VIENNA, Dec. 10.—The influenza is epidemic in upper Austria, and an immense number of people are prostrated; the horses, too, are attacked by the disease, and many deaths of animals are reported.

Direct News.
By Associated Press.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—The North China *Herald* of the 9th of October gives the particulars of the Salt Liken riot in Faien province. The place or town is Telilma, not Chaughan, as reported. The leader of the insurgents is named Chen and has a force under his command on top of the hill outside the city of some 3,000 men, under pretense of opposing the Liken seizures on salt. The first expedition was against the Salt Liken office, which was burned. One unfortunate fell into the hands of the insurgents, who nailed his hands and feet to a board and cut him up by piecemeal. This victim was considered a sacrifice to their flag. The insurgents, flushed with success, made a complete circuit around the city, but were met with a stubborn resistance from a volunteer force of about 1,000 strong, which repulsed every attempt to take the walls by assault. For three days the city held out, when provisions ran short. Although agitated by fear and harrassed by hunger, the defenders stood nobly to their post in the desperate hope of an early rescue by the Imperial troops. The insurgents seized a favorable moment to send a large force to storm the defense, and a bloody struggle ensued, resulting in favor of the attacking party. The leader was the first one to leap over the wall, and rushing straight to the magistrate's Yamen, he liberated all the prisoners. The authorities have dispatched a thousand soldiers to the place. The latest report is that the insurgents have left the city and are encamped on the hill.

Moonshiners in Alabama.
By Associated Press.]

TULLAHOMA (Tenn.), Dec. 10.—The federal officers returned last night from a raid in northern Alabama. They report the capture of two large illicit distilleries, which they destroyed, together with several thousand gallons of the product. The stills were about ten miles from Stevenson, Alabama. No arrests were made.

A MILLION A YEAR.

Lottery and Prize Schemes Used to Sell Alum and Ammonia Baking Powders.

A New York concern, manufacturers of an ammonia baking powder, boasts that its yearly profits are over a million dollars. While, perhaps, none of the makers of alum powders individually can show so large earnings, yet their profits are enormous.

A business so profitable will always attract to itself those whose greed will cause them to utterly disregard the effect their traffic may have upon the health or life of others.

Alum baking powders are introduced largely by gifts, prizes and lottery schemes. A piece of glassware or china, a child's wagon, sled, a pewter spoon or some other article of attractive appearance, but of small intrinsic value or cost, is given with each purchase or a number is attached to the can which entitles the customer to a similarly numbered article or to a prize of some kind. It is in some such way as this that the trade in alum and ammonia baking powders, which has now attained such giant proportions and their consumption by the public which has reached an extent which is truly alarming.

The highest authorities of all countries condemn the use of alum in bread without reserve. In America the most distinguished physicians, chemists and hygienists have declared that the traffic in alum baking powders should be suppressed by law. In England and France where the the subject of pure food, and its effect upon the system, has been more fully considered and made the subject of extended experiments by the scientists, so serious a matter is the use of alum in bread or other food considered to be, that most stringent laws have been enacted to prevent it. These laws are rigidly enforced, and the sale of alum baking powders would not be permitted for an hour. Any one who attempted to make them for use in food, or attempted to use them for raising bread, biscuit or cake would suffer severe penalties.

The ill effects upon the system of food raised by alum baking powders are the more dangerous because of their insidious character. It would be less dangerous to the community were it fatal at once, for then such food would be avoided; but their deleterious action because imperceptible at first is no less certain.

The puckering effect which alum has when taken in the mouth is familiar to everyone. Physicians say this same effect is produced by it upon the delicate coats of the stomach and intestines.

What housewife would take home to her family a can of alum or ammonia baking powder if she knew it. Such powders not only undermine the system, but it is pointed out that ammonia taken into the system in even infinetisimal doses day after day, imparts to the complexion a sallow and blotched appearance.

It is safe to discard all baking powders sold with a prise or gift.

What a misnomer are the words "Absolutely Pure," as applied to baking powders. Two of the largest selling brands, one made from alum, the other containing ammonia, and both of these drugged baking powders have stamped upon their labels and circulars these words absolutely pure, as a matter of fact they are "Absolutely Poor," as shown by official examinations.

Congressional Work.
By Associated Press.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—Among the documents laid before the Senate and referred, were the annual report of the Secretary of the Treasury, and many memorials asking for legislation for closing the World's Fair on Sundays. Among the bills introduced and referred were the following; To prevent food adulterations; to provide for a better enforcement of the quarantine laws; and to establish a national board of health.

By Stewart—To provide for the free coinage of gold and silver bullion, (this bill was laid on the table so that Stewart can call it up at any time); to authorize the sale of mineral lands to aliens; to authorize the construction of a railroad in Alaska, and to amend the Chinese Exclusion Act; to transfer the revenue cutter service to the Navy Department; to punish officers for summoning jurors with reference to their political or religious affiliations.

By Callom—To suspend the coming of Chinese laborers to the United States; also to reduce the letter postage to one cent; to provide for consular certificates for immigrants; for badges for the officers and men of the Greeley expedition; and for an annual leave of absence to per diem employees of the Navy Department; providing for an income tax to pay pensions; to increase the efficiency of the infantry arms of the army; to prevent the summary cancellation of the pension certificates, and to provide for a hearing in such cases; and to establish a postal savings bank.

By Walcott—To provide for coinage at the branch mint of Denver, Colorado; to amend the patent laws and to appoint a commission to revise the patent laws.

To amend the Constitution so as to provide for the election of Senators by the people; to amend the immigration and naturalization laws; to grant service pensions, with additional amounts to prisoners of war, to provide means for their payment, and to repeal section 2 of the pension Act of July 27, 1890; to reduce the number of pensions ratings to 10; to abolish the pension agencies and to lessen the expenses of examining Boards; to authorize the President to open negotiations with Spain, as to the island of Cuba; to prohibit a monopoly in the transportation of cattle to foreign countries; for compulsory education of children; to amend the Inter State Commerce Act; to provide for the free coinage of silver and the promotion of international free coinage of silver; to prevent the sale of arms to Indians.

Peffer offered a resolution, which was referred to the Finance Committee, directing that that committee inquire and report as soon as possible as to the actual expenses attending the business of money-lending, as conducted in the United States by bankers and other persons.

Plum offered a resolution looking to the removal of the remains of U. S. Grant to the Arlington National cemetery.

The Senate went into Executive Committee at which the recess appointments were laid before it. At 2:30 the Senate adjourned until Monday.

Tobacco Reclassed.
Special to the GAZETTE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 10.—Concerning the discussion by the New York Leaf Tobacco Board of Trade last evening, in the matter of the Liebe's Bros.' importation of Sumatra leaf tobacco, the Customs Officer this morning stated that an erroneous impression apparently prevailed, regarding the action of the local Customs officials in the matter. A portion of the tobacco was classed last September as Fillers, dutiable at thirty-five cents per pound; on further investigaton, however, the obacco was all reclassed as wrappers, dutiable at $2 per pound. The case is now before the general Board of Appraisers at New York, to which the Liebes Bros. appealed for relief.

Pekin Dispatches.
By Cable and Associated Press.]

LONDON, Dec. 10.—Dispatches from Pekin state that owing to the delay in getting the Mongolian tribes together, the plan of the Viceroy to surround the rebels did not prove a success. Another battle was fought between the Imperial troops and the rebels, and the latter were routed and dispersed. This battle is believed to be the one concerning which the Chinese Legation here received advices yesterday. To-day's dispatches state that the Emperor of China has taken up the study of the English language.

Another Brazilian Revolt.
By Cable and Associated Press.]

RIO JANEIRO, Dec. 10.—The situation here continues critical, and the government is taking measures to prevent an entrance into the city. Advices from Compos states that there has been an open revolt against the Peixotte government. A conflict occurred Tuesday last between the government troops and the insurgents. Advices are not clear as to which were victorious, but it is reported ten men were killed.

English Comments.
By Cable and Associated Press.]

LONDON, Dec. 10.—The St. James *Gazette* commenting to-day on President Harrison's message, says: "The most important point in the document is that part which has reference to the result of the McKinley tariff." The figures presented, the *Gazette* declares, compare significantly with the British figures, which remain stationary.

The calculations of the supporters of the McKinley bill is working out much better than any one in England had reason to expect.

The *Globe* sarcastically comments on the message, which it says is adroitly traced on catch vote lines.

"The nervous Yankee assurred the government, that he knows how to climb down, as in the case of Chili and the Behring Sea dispute."

"Lord Salisbury," the *Globe* adds, "need not be much frightened at President Harrison's tremendous menace and expressions of concern at the foreign encroachments upon the territories controlled by the American government." The *Globe* disputes the statement, made in the message, that the prosperity of the United States is entirely due to the McKinley bill. "On the contrary," it says, "the prosperity of the country is due to the exceptional harvest there, at a time when Europe is short of grain."

Crop Report.
By Associated Press.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—The report of the Department of Agriculture gives the condition of growing wheat as 85. The returns showing the condition of coming crops of winter grains are not generally favorable. On the Atlantic Coast some injury is reported on early sown areas from the Hessian fly. The season is not favorable for seeding in the South, on account of continued dry weather, and germination is slow from the same cause, though rains in the late autumn have improved the prospects. In the Western States seeding is late, the seed bed being hard and cloddy, germination was slow and growth unfavorable until November, when a material improvement was seen in most of the fields. In some ditricts the Hessian fly has made its appearance, causing some damage. The crop is 85.3 and the average is 87. The condition of rye is a little higher than of the wheat, making an average of 88.8.

The Funeral Train.
By Cable and Associated Press.]

MADRID, Dec. 10.—The government gave orders that as soon as the train bearing the remains of the ex-Emperor of Brazil, from Paris, entered the Spanish territory, every honor due to the deceased should be paid. At all the Brazilian stations along the route, soldiers arrived along the platforms and as the train rushed past they presented arms, flags were dipped and all royal honors were paid to the dead exruler. All along the route at towns, villages and hamlets, the residents gathered along the line and reverently bared their heads as the funeral train rushed past.

National Bar Association.
By Associated Press.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—The second day's session of the National Bar Association began this morning. The report of the committee appointed to elect officers for the ensuing year was adopted, and James C. Carter of New York was chosen for President. The proposition to make Washington a permanent place for holding the sessions of the convention was approved. The first Wednesday after the second Monday in each year was fixed upon as the time for holding the annual meeting.

Denver Murder Case.
By Associated Press.]

DENVER, Dec. 10.—The first witness in the Graves-Barnaby case to-day was Dr. J. A. Sewell, of the Denver University, who gave an analysis of the bottle of liquid the same as that which, it is alleged, caused the death of Mrs. Barnaby. He found the liquid contained 2½ per cent. of arsenic, arcenite of potashium and 21 per cent. of alcohol, and judging from the analysis the bottle contained 132 grains of arsenic and no whisky at all.

An Invading Tribe.
By Cable and Associated Press.]

BELGRADE (Servia), Dec. 10.—The Malissorri tribe from Albania raided and burned Poschand and Vrangevece, villages in Servia, a short distance from Tetowa, and killed four inhabitants. They afterwards attacked five hamlets, plundered the houses and killed seven persons.

English Gales.
By Cable and Associated Press.]

LONDON, Dec. 10.—The gale which set in last night is still raging, and has already done a large amount of damage and has been attended with a number of fatalities. A number of small coasting vessels are reported lost along the south coast of England.

Duties Increased.
By Associated Press.]

ST. JOHNS (N. F.), Dec. 10.—In relation to the duties imposed by Canada on Newfoundland fish, the Government has put into force a section of the act against Canada which increases the duties on articles imported from Canada.

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A Sensible President.

While the President in his message to Congress leaves Nevada out entirely, he seems to fully appreciate the necessity of Government aid in reclaiming our vast arid wastes. He takes the ground that the United States should part with its ownership of the water sources and the sites for reservoirs, whether to the States and Territories, or to individuals or corporations, only upon conditions that will insure to the settlers their proper water supply upon equal and reasonable terms. This is sound sense and an enlightened policy which should commend itself to Congress. It does not mean much for Nevada, however, for the General Government has no land left upon our streams that can be used for storing water. As we have often said before, Nevada must depend upon herself and work out her own reclamation or go down in her own ashes, and the sooner we make up our minds to this and organize for our own upbuilding, the better it will be for us.

A DISPATCH from Saltillo, Mexico, says that some 1200 Chinese who were thrown out of employment by the collapse of the Tehuantepec railroad project are making their way in a body toward the United States, pillaging and committing depredations in the country through which they pass. All are in a destitute condition and unable to find employment, and are headed for this country, where they suppose work to be easy to obtain.

In the present state of the exclusion act the duty of the United States Marshal for the Southern District of California is perfectly plain. He must meet this incoming horde at a point just this side of the Mexican line and explain to them very politely that they are violating an act of Congress by coming into the United States. Then he must take them, put them on a train of cars provided for the purpose, transport them to San Francisco with all due diligence and from there ship them to China, all of which is to be done at the expense of the Government of the United States. If any get away there can be nothing done about it, for there will be no way to identify them or tell whether they are legally in the United States or not.

A VALPARAISO special says it now appears that the German Minister to Chili entered into an intrigue with the correspondent of the London Times to stir up ill-feeling through misrepresentation of the United States and its representative at Santiago. This is known to be true so far as the Times man is concerned. The charge against the German Minister is new and perhaps unfounded, although since the Samoan affair we have reason to scrutinize the action of German representatives abroad pretty closely. If such a matter could be proved, it would be cause for addressing a vigorous protest to the German Government.

THE Bulletin says: Senator-elect-Governor Hill of New York did not present his credentials in the United States Senate Monday. He is waiting until January, when Governor-elect Flower will take his place at Albany. It is Hill's work in the meantime to devise and carry out plans for getting rid of the small Republican majority in the State Legislature and putting Democrats in their places on one plea or another. Lieutenant-Governor Jones, being an honest man, cannot be trusted to do that work. The fact that Hill remains Governor instead of becoming Senator is very suggestive.

FRESNO farmers are moving for a co-operative beet-sugar factory after the manner of their brethren in Southern California. The problem of keeping profits for beet-growers rather than for capitalists is likely to be solved at an early date in California. If good business management and harmony can be secured there is no reason why these experiments should not succeed. Why don't Reno people make a move in that direction?

ARTISTS' MODELS IN PARIS.

Their Arms and Throats Smuggled Into Portraits of Rich Women of Fashion.

A report of a contemplated strike of the models in Paris has brought out an interesting interview between one of the ladies in the profession and a representative of a paper in the French capital, says the New York Sun.

"Well," said the reporter to this young woman, whom he describes as a handsome blonde, with a fresh and rosy complexion, "you are all on strike, eh? You are syndicating?"

With a smile and a shrug she replied: "Nonsense! that thing could never take."

"And why?"

"It is easy to understand. You see there are two kinds of models, those who follow the thing all their lives and those who take it up en passant. The first are the models of the academies, who want to go on strike, and the second are the artists' models, who laugh at the proposal and treat it as a humbug. You will find the first at the School of Fine Arts, with Julian, in the ateliers of Bonnant, Jean-Paul Laurens and Cormon. The women get four francs a sitting and the men three, the total earnings of a day being eight and six francs. At the end of the week there is also the cornet.

"Every Saturday the monitor goes round with a cornet, or horn-shaped paper box, and takes up a collection. The students give from two to five cents each, according to the degree of satisfaction which they derive from the models. That brings in about seventy-five cents, and sometimes one dollar; but this is rare, and, moreover, the models do not get work every week. They are often brought down to extreme poverty, and often have to sing in the streets and beg. The women, formerly servant girls, get places again when they can, and some of them do worse."

"Is it possible?"

"It is as true as I am speaking to you; but they always come back and pose. As for the artists' models, there are very few men among them, on account of the increasing scarcity of church and historical pictures. For the women it is a temporary business. A fresh and well-made girl commences to make her living in some dressmaking establishment, where she begins to undermine her constitution and redden her eyes from eight in the morning to ten and eleven at night, and all for what? About seventy-five cents a day. Even that would not be so bad if there was steady work; but the dull times are frequent. So she decides to pose. At the beginning it is hard, oh, very hard, but at last we become reconciled to it, because it is a fine thing for a poor girl to make her four francs a day. Certainly the model does not get work every day at the beginning. She gets her customers gradually. But when once established she is all right. At one place she poses for the entire figure. At another she poses for some detail, especially among the portrait painters."

"The portrait painters?"

"Why, certainly. Do you fancy that those fine and rich ladies would take the trouble to sit for their portraits every day for three weeks? That would tire them pretty soon. Consequently three-fourths of the artists, when the preparation is finished, take the feet, the hands, and sometimes the arms and throat from us. After all, it is not such a bad trade, although there are always dull times in the summer months. The business has only one drawback—a serious one—it doesn't last. You see we can't always be young. When we touch upon twenty-five the complexion begins to fade. At that age also we become fat. Then we quit the business and return to dress-making."

HE KNEW HIS FATE.

A Gambler Who Held the Fatal Hand of Jacks Full on Red Sevens.

I was watching a game of poker once at Helena, Montana, says a writer in the Chicago Herald. The players were a gambler whom I knew slightly and who bore the sobriquet of "Lucky Bill" and two miners. Suddenly, after the cards were dealt and the players had "chipped in" and drawn cards, Lucky Bill, with perfect calmness and not so much as a shadow of a change in the expression of his face, laid the cards on the table, took a note book from his pocket and deliberately wrote a few words. Then he tore out the leaf and handed it to me.

"Look at that when you get home to-night."

His voice was steady, and did not betray a particle of excitement. I thrust the paper aimlessly into my pocket, and gave the matter hardly a second thought.

The play progressed. Lucky Bill's face was unyielding as a stone and entirely unexpressive. He noticed everything, however, and his vigilant eye did not miss the slighest move on the part of the other players. He was a typical gambler, and one of the most successful of his guild. Hence the sobriquet.

At last there was an altercation between the two miners. Hot words ensued and revolvers were drawn. Some of the bystanders interfered at this point, and in the struggle that followed I heard the sharp whistle and sping of a bullet. Lucky Bill, his good star in the descendant, fell to the ground and expired without a groan. He had been killed by the accidental discharge of a pistol in the hands of one of the miners.

I was horrified at the occurrence, and that evening, after I reached home, I thought of the line the gambler had written me. I took it from my pocket and read as follows:

"I have drawn a pair of sevens. I now hold jacks full on red sevens. It is a fatal hand. No one ever yet held it and left the card table alive. I shall die. I have six thousand dollars in the First national bank of Bismarck. Notify my mother, Mrs. ——, of Franklin, Ky."

Cooking Eggs Without Fire.

A new method of boiling eggs without either fire or hot water, has been invented by a Frenchman. "In a little iron vessel of some kind," reads the recipe, "put your egg or eggs with a small piece of quicklime. By means of a stout string lower this into the bottom of a pit. Two minutes later pull it up and you will discover your eggs to be cooked to a turn."

MISCELLANEOUS.

SICK Head-Aches

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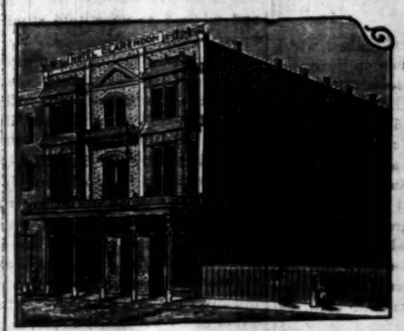

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Thursday.....December 10, 1891

TIME TABLES.

The following tables give the time of arrival and departure of passenger trains at Reno

ARRIVE.	TRAINS—C. P.	LEAVE.
10:10 p. m....	No. 1, Eastbound Ex....	10.20 p. m
2:10 a. m....	No. 3, Eastbound Ex....	2:20 a. m
9:30 a. m....	No. 2, Westbound Ex....	10:00a. m.
10:30 p. m....	No. 4, Westbound Ex....	10:30 p. m
	V. & T.	
8:45 p. m....	No. 1, Virginia Ex.	
	No. 3, S. F. Express....	8:25 a. m.
	No. 5, Local Passengr....	1:45 p. m.
11:45 a. m....	No. 4, Local Passengr.	
	N. & C.	
	Express and Freight....	9:45 a. m.
3:40 p. m....	Express and Freight.	

Time of Arrival and Departure of Mails at Reno.

MAIL FOR	CLOSES. A.M.	CLOSES. P.M.	ARRIVES A.M.	ARRIVES P.M.
San Francisco and Sacramento (through p'ch	9:30		8:10	.....
San Francisco, Sacto and intermediate points...	....	8:00	8:10	....
Ogden, all eastern points V. & T. and all southern	7:30	....	....	10:20
points	7:30	....	....	8:45
Susanville and all points north.....	9:00	....	....	3:40
Buffalo Meadows, Sheephead every Monday...	9:00	....	....	...
(Arrive every Saturday	....	....	....	....

JOTTINGS.

The Richard Herz's watch contest is attracting much attention for hardly a young lady or gentleman in town but what wants to win it.

This stormy weather Jake Becker's is a favorite resort. Everybody goes there to talk over the storm and the business prospects for next year.

Chappie—What's this, old fel? You are not dining at 2 in the afthahnoon are you? Cholly—Yahs, that's all cowwect. I've found out that when its 2 in New York its 7 in deah old Lunnon, doncher know. And he sat quietly down to dine in the Riverside hotel, as all good men do.

To Dispel Colds,

Headache and Fevers, to cleanse the system effectually, yet gently, when costive or bilious, or when the blood is impure or sluggish to permanently cure habitual constipation, to awaken the kidneys and liver to a healthy activity, without irritating or weakening them, use Syrup of Figs.

Whooping Cough.

There is no danger from Whooping Cough when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is freely given. It keeps the cough loose and makes expectoration easy. 50 cent bottles for sale by J. B. McCullough, druggist.

Specimen Cases.

S. H. Clifford, New Cassel, Wis., was troubled with Neuralgia and Rheumatism, his Stomach was disordered, his Liver was affected to an alarming degree, appetite fell away, and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strenght. Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured him.

Edward Shepherd, Harrisburg, Ill., had a running sore on his leg of 8 years standing. Used three bottels of Electric Bitters and seven boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and his leg is sound and well. John Speaker, Catawaba, O., had five large Fever Sores on his leg, doctors said he was incurable. One bottle of Electric Bitters and one box Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him entirely. Sold at W. Pinniger's Drug store.

A Chamber of Horrors.

The apartment to waich the unhappy wretch is confined by inflammatory rheumatism is indeed a chamber of horrors. Appalling are the tortures inflicted by this agonizing complaint, and those endured by persons suffering from milder forms of it are severe enough. Obstinate as it is in its mature developmedt, it is surely remediable at the outset by Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, an infinitely safer as well as more effective remedy than the poisons often used to subdue it. Always should it be borne in mind by those seeking relief from rheumatism, that though conquerable in the incipient stage, it is not only stubborn but dangerous when fully developed, on account of its tendency to attack the vital parts. This consideration should lead to the early adoption of curative measures. The Bitters will overcome malaria, kidney, dyspeptic and bilious troubles.

A sure Cure for Piles.

Itching Piles are known by moisture, like perspiration causing intense itching when warm. This form, as well as blind, bleeding and protruding, yield at once to Dr. Bosanko's Pile remedy, which acts directly on the parts affected, absorbs tumors, allays itching and effects a permanent cure. 50c. Druggists or mail; treatise free. Dr. Bosanko, Piqua, O. Sold by S. J. Hodgkinson. 4p8

Baby cried,
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Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Sold by all druggists throughout the world.

SHILOH'S CATARRH REMEDY—a positive cure for Catarrh, Diphtheria and Canker-Mouth. For sale by S. J. Hodgkinson.

"HACKMETACK," a lasting and fragrant perfume. Price 25 and 50 cents. For sale by S. J. Hodgkinson.

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THE REV. GEORGE H. THAYER, of Bourbon, Ind., says: "Both myself and wife owe our lives to SHILOH'S CONSUMPTION CURE." For sale by S. J. Hodgkinson.

ARE YOU MADE miserable by Indigestion, Constipation, Dizziness, Loss of Appetite, Yellow Skin? Shiloh's Vitalizer is a positive cure. For sale by S. J. Hodgkinson.

A BASE BURNER free with each bottle of Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy. Price 50 cents. For sale by S. J. Hodgkinson.

JOURNEYING JOURNALISTS.

Preparations for Their Annual Convention at San Francisco.

The delegates to the convention of the International League of Press Clubs, which will be held in San Francisco next month, will arrive there on January 13th. They are already assured a hearty welcome and first-class entertainment during their week's visit. Upon the evening of their arrival the San Francisco Press Club will give the visiting newspapermen a "late watch" at the clubrooms, so that they may get acquainted with the resident editors and reporters, and also enjoy a fine program of music, etc., besides refreshments. The San Francisco & North Pacific railway has offered to provide a special train to give the visitors an excursion over the Donohue line, and Senator Stanford has sent word to Secretary Orrin Black that his road will extend privileges so that Santa Cruz, Monterey, Palo Alto and other points may be visited. The executive meetings of the league will be held in the Press Club rooms, 430 Pine street. The open sessions during the day will be held in the Baldwin Theater. An elaborate banquet will be given on the closing evening. During the week a bay excursion and various receptions and entertainments will be given. It is planned to have San Francisco make as generous a showing as Pittsburg did last year, when the convention met there, about $12,000 was then raised for entertainment purposes. The journeying journalists will number about 150.

SATURDAY NIGHT,S SHOW.

A Troupe of Unequalled Merit—The Noss Family.

The box sheet is fast filling up for the Noss Jollities at McKissick's Opera House Saturday night. Of their performance a Pennsylvania exchange says:

The wonderful Noss Family gave another of their unparalled serio-comical entertainments to a crowded house last Saturday evening. When the gifted family were here one year ago, we thought there was no room for improvement, their performance giving such universal satisfaction in their variety and their excellence; but we are free to admit that the entertainment on last Saturday evening excelled anything of the kind ever presented to our pleasure-seeking people. Without disparagement to any of the older ones, we are justified in saying that Bertha is a jewel, and little Miss May is a star.

Don't fail to see the Noss Jollities in "A Quick Match." It is one of the brightest and most sparkling musical comedies. It is positively original, and is novel in conception.

FROZEN TO DEATH.

John Irwick's Lonely Tramp to Death.

A week ago Sunday John Irwick arrived in Genoa from Bodie and stopped at the Raycroft Hotel until Tuesday when he started out on foot for Placerville, Cal. At Bijou, Lake Tahoe, he spoke to Mr. Ramsey and passed on. This is supposed to have been the last seen of him alive. Two brothers named McNutt, came onto his tracks in the snow ten miles from Bijou, and fearing that some one had lost their way, followed them about half a mile on the western summit of the eastern slope of the Sierra Nevada mountain when they came to a tree that he had traveled around probably for hours, undoubtedly bewildered, and finally wandered away down the mountain side where he was found lying with his face on the snow and frozen to death.

PARADISE VALLEY.

News From a Prosperous Section of the County.

M. T. Coats came in from Paradise Valley last night, where he has been running the Humboldt Flour Mill, during the summer months, but was obliged to close down on account of the cold weather. The ice stopped up the mill race. He says the company have about 2,000 sacks of good milling wheat on hand now that will be ground into flour when the mill starts up in the spring. Mr. Coats informed the Gazette that about all the salable wheat has been bought up and shipped out of Humboldt county. He reports the farmers in good condition in that section and they all go into the winter with a little ready money and are comparatively happy and content with their lot in life.

Irving Dramatic Club.

The first appearance of the Irving Dramatic Club will be at the Opera House to-morrow night in the play "Turn Him Out." The following is the cast:

Nicodemus Nobbs	Dr. H. A. Fredrick
MacKintosh Moke	F. Hagerman
Roseleaf, a dude	Chas. Butt
Mrs. Moke	Mrs. Lotta Russell
Susan	Nellie Little

The play is under the management of J. B. Titus, and a fine entertainment may be expected.

Jury Disagreed.

Wm. Woodburn has returned from Hawthorne, where he has been defending Booth for the shooting of of George M. Beatty at Candelaria. To the surprise of everybody, Woodburn succeeded in inducing the jury to disagree, they standing eight for acquittal and four for conviction for assault with intent to kill.

The Market.

The beef market below is looking up. First quality readily brings 6½ cents, and knowing ones say that good beef will be worth from 7 to 7½ cents here before the close of January.

A Fine Paper.

The Weekly Gazette and Stockman issued to-day is fully up to the standard of excellence and should be found on every table in the land.

French Tansy Wafers.

These wafers are for the relief and cure of painful and irregular menses, and will remove all obstruction, no matter what the cause, and are sure and safe every time. Manufactured by Emerson Drug Co., San Jose, Cal., and for sale only by William Pinniger. oc2ty1

BREVITIES.

Local and General Intelligence.

Measles are prevalent at Milford.

La grippe has struck Pasadena, Cal.

Judge Linn's legal mill is idle today.

The thaw destroyed the prospective ice crop.

Two feet of snow fell at Truckee during the storm.

Go to Nathan's and ask Louis Cohn to show it to you.

Call at the Merchant's Exchange for hot winter drinks.

The storm will prove a god-send to the farmers of this section.

Mrs. B. F. Layton will sing at the Lyceum to-morrow evening.

Look out for the masquerade ball Christmas night at Armory Hall.

John Sunderland to-day received 600 dozen of the latest style of collars.

Get in the Gazette's Xmas number and identify yourself wfth the town.

The storm is over. Clear weather and stationary temperature is predicted.

Prof. John E. Bray lectures at the Lyceum to-morrow night on "The Pilgrims."

The list of bills is found in another column allowed by the Commissioners yesterday.

The men in the railroad shops at Sacramento are working but eight hours a day.

The cold weather is having its effect on the tramp element. They are few and far between.

Martin sent a lot of goods north today, and received a big cargo of beans of all kinds from the east.

Marcus Fredrick has another new brand of cigars that are the delight of the smokers. Call for one.

Get your photographs for Christmas now at Swisher & Bender's. They do the best work and the cheapest. tf

Go to John Belz's shop and take a bath in one of his elegant porcelain tubs and you will feel like a new man.

A whist club, dancing club and several private parties are on the social string and will materialize in the near future.

It is said that there is more money spent in Reno every day for beer and other liquors than for clothing or bread and butter.

W. Pinniger has on exhibition at his pharmacy the latest designs in Xmas goods, just received from Chicago. Everyone invited to inspect them. tf

Do not fail to purchase a ticket for the Lyceum Friday night. A splendid entertainment may be expected. It is for a good cause and should be well patronized.

Swisher & Bender are doing a big business in photographs for the Christmas holidays. It is the latest fad to present your photo to your friends for an Xmas present.

Thurston keeps everything that can be called for in any well regulated stationery store from the simplest book to the deepest literary production. Go there and inspect his stock.

Dr. Meyer of San Francisco, office Golden Eagle Hotel, will do dental work for the next few weeks at half prices. Extractions 50c, fillings $1 up, and plates $4 up. All work warranted. m6t

The Women's Guild of Trinity Church will meet at the residence of Mr. J. N. Evans on Saturday afternoon. A conveyance will be at the rectory at 2 o'clock to take out those desiring to go. 2t

The Truckee *Republican* says: The will of E. J. Brickell was probated in Oakland this week. Frank Champion went down to be present, as he has a son and daughter interested in the will. The estate is valued at about $1,000,000.

There is more experience, time and brain work represented in the preparation of Hood's Sarsaparilla than in any other medicine. It is this that makes Hood's Sarsaparilla peculiar in its curative power, and the remarkable cures it effects. Give it a trial.

A Busy Place.

The Reno Mill & Lumber Company is crowded with orders and their mill is turning out lots of fine work. It is as busy a time with them as any the past season. The mill is getting orders for doors, windows and I & G flooring and ceiling. The business has grown to an immense magnitude and they furnish employment to about twenty people now. It is a growing industry.

The Pipe Organ.

The ladies of the Episcopal Church have something over $750 toward the new pipe organ that is to be put in next year. They have worked hard to get that sum, but have about $1,500 more to raise before next September. They should be encouraged in their undertaking, for it is certainly a laudable object.

Russell Sage

The well-known financier, writes:

"508 Fifth Avenue,
New York City, December 20, 1890.

"For the last twenty years I have been using Allcock's Porous Plasters. They have repeatedly cured me of rheumatic pains and pains in my side and back. Whenever I have a cold, one on my chest and one on my back speedily relieve me. 'My family are never without them.'"

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A Great Liver Medicine.

Dr. Gunn's Improved Liver Pills are a sure cure for sick headache, billious complaints, dyspepsia, indigestion, costiveness, torpid liver, etc. These pills insure perfect digestion, correct the liver and stomach, regulate the bowels, purify and enrich the blood and make the skin clear. They also produce a good appetite and invigorate and strengthen the entire system by their tonic action. Sold at 25 cents a box by S. J. Hodgkinson.

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VALUABLE GOLD WATCH AND CHAIN,

Set With Diamonds, To Be Given Away New Year's.

I have a very fine 14k ladies' or gentleman's gold watch, Elgin movement, that I will present to someone as a New Year's present. It is a beauty—worth $90—and can be seen at my store from this date until New Year's at 9 A. M., at which time the fortunate individual can claim and receive his own.

Briefly told, this is the way I propose to do it: The watch will be presented to the person receiving the largest number of votes. The coupon, as seen below, will be found in the Gazette every evening, and can be cut out and filled in and deposited in the box at the entrance of the Gazette office before the close of the contest. *I will give one vote for every dollar's worth of goods purchased at my store during the contest.*

Extra copies of the Gazette can be procured with the ballot at any time on application at that office. The watch will be given to the one receiving the largest number of votes on the date and hour above stated. Now who shall it be?

Richard Herz, Reno, Nev.

A record of votes will be published in the Gazette every evening.

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Bell, Agnes	1
Baker, Dan	2
Chambers, Miss Bessie	6
Cobb, L D	20
Clark, C P	2
Coffin, Richard	1
Coffin, Frank	12
Davis, Grace	2
Finlayson, Mis Lexie	2
Fredrick, Marcus	116
French, Hedley	5
Gilson, Becker	2
Godfrey, Miss Victoria	5
Gilbert, Wm	1
Godfrey, Twins	2
Henry, James E	2
Iturff, Miss L. E	13
Jamison, Mrs. Eva	2
Jackson, Allen	2
Kerth, Louis	103
King, Oscar	1
Lewis, May	5
Marks, Ike	1
Mozingo, Sam	2
McCormack, J. J	5
Mohan, Mrs	1
Moulton, Joe	1
Pinniger, Miss Flo	2
Pinniger, Sidney	1
Peterson, Sam	3
Quinn, James	1
Ross, Chas	2
Robb, Chas	1
Samuels, Steve	1
Sauer, Miss Ida	1
Shaver, John	160
Short, Miss Frances	16
Slaven, Fred	1
Taylor, Jobe	2
Unruh, Miss	1
White, Miss N	1
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White, Mrs. Al	1
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PERSONALS.

James McDermitt of Milford is in town.

Frank Jaynes, Superintendent of the Western Union, came up from San Francisco this morning.

Wm. Smiley of Deeth came up from below this morning and continued on home.

Dorsey Noteware of Carson returned this morning from California.

M. T. Coats came in from Paradise Valley last night and will spend the winter here.

Mrs. W. S. Bender will leave Sacramento Sunday night for Arizona, where she goes to join her brother, Will Gault, and her mother. Mr. Gault is still in very poor health.

Cattle Shipments.

Twenty-two cars of cattle left here to-day for the California markets. Thirteen were consigned to C. W. Wilby of San Francisco and seven to Murphy & Hill, San Jose. The latter were from Hallock. One car contained Dean's big steers, consigned to C. W. Wilby.

The Salvation Army.

A couple of young women from General Booth's Salvation Army are in town and will hold meetings nightly. They say they have come to stay and will hold meetings at the corner of Second and Centre streets nightly.

Free Coinage.

Senator Stewart is on deck with a free coinage bill, introduced to-day. The Senator is a hard old horse to curry and will make lots of trouble for the gold-bugs before he gets through with them.

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NEW TO-DAY.

BILLS ALLOWED.

THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS MET Monday, Dec. 9, 1891, pursuant to adjournment. Present—T. F. Hymers (Chairman), W. P. McLaughlin, W. H. Pierson, Commissioners; W. H. Caughlin, Sheriff; T. V. Julien, District Attorney, and O. H. Perry, Clerk.

The following bills were allowed:

Co Treasurer, Judges salary	$856 87
Co Treasurer, University bonds and in..	1600 00
T K Hymers, livery	71 75
Riverside Hotel, feeding prisoners	120 45
J V Peers, coroner	47 30
Co Treas, Armory rent	75 00
Folsom & Wells, indigent supplies	20 80
Folsom & Wells, county wood	140 00
Folsom & Wells, Wads bridge supplies	51 40
W P McLaughlin, indigent rent	10 00
T K Hymers, liverys indigent	66 00
T K Hymers, salary	50 00
T V Julien, salary	125 00
A G Fletcher, salary	150 00
W P McLaughlin, salary	50 00
W H Caughlin, sheriff's office	343 40
W H Pierson, salary	50 00
J B Williams, Recorder's office	198 33
D B Boyd, salary	150 00
O H Perry, clerk's office	183 00
J J Linn, Justice Fees	133 55
S W Upson, constable	237 80
W T Golding, con. fees Wadsworth	59 60
M Nathan, supplies for jail	11 25
C J Brookins, supplies for court house	5 10
Reno Gazette, printing	35 25
Nevada State Journal, printing	10 50
W O H Martin, supplies	2 65
P N Norton, hauling	4 50
Chas Dixon, county wood	50 60
Reno Water Co., gas and water	50 40
A H Manning, supplies	9 00
W H Pierson, road work	55 25
Geo Hill road work	37 00
R L Fuller, painting signs Wads br	10 00
John Lee, indigent supplies	10 00
J F Aitken, disb	1 91
Edwin Bates, county hay	15 70
S J Hodgkinson, indigent supplies	1 50
Coffin & Larcombe, indigent supplies	20 00
Tassel Bros., indigent supplies	4 40
Derry & Novacovich, indigent supplies	7 35
Dr J A Lewis, hospital	75 00
C S Martin, indigent rent	10 00
J B McCullough, indigent supplies	4 10
S T Burtch, supplies	10 00
E Griswold, Wads bridge supplies	13 60
G A Koppe, hauling	2 00
W O H Martin, supplies	14 35
W Sanders, undertaking	112 50
S A Hamlin, disb	7 00
Reno Mill & Lumber Co., lumber	3 54
M Nathan, indigent supplies	24 50
Palace Dry Goods, indigent supplies	5 80
Smith & Marker, indigent supplies	20 00
Abraham Bros, indigent supplies	31 50
A McWilliams, nursing	6 00
J B McCullough, indigent supplies	87 35
W H Joy, hospital	193 00
O Lonkey, indigent supplies	10 00
H W Bonham, road work	30 00
E Twaddle, road work	22 00
D Dickey, road work	5 00
Wm Merrill, road work	54 00
Jas Carroll, road work	3 00
E F Questa, road work	21 00
B M Coffin, paint Wadsworth bridge	63 85
Lange & Schmit., bridge supplies	14 00
Jerry Correcco, road work	12 75
John Douglas et al road work	280 50
Holland & Flemming, road work blkg	31 50
Chas O Dixon, road work	7 00
G W Sawyer, lumber	4 48
Reno Mill and Lumber Co., lumber	156 04
A M Lamb, road work	49 00
A G Brown, road work	5 00
Ward & Smith, road work	50 00
Bill of P. Harmony, M D, rejected	

Relief was granted to the following:

Mrs. Blackpole	10 00
Mrs. Jose	10 00
Mrs. McCormack	10 00
Mrs H C Hurley	10 00
Mrs. McCann	10 00
E D Rodgers	15 00
Mrs. Auker	10 00

TOWN BILLS.

John Douglas, chief of police	36 00
Peter Wynn, fire team	50 00
W L Coulin, painting iron bridge	71 15
Reno Fire Dept., disbursements	291 60
Verdi Mill Co, lumber, park	33 00
D Dickey, labor on hole for cistern	3 50
Fred Madel, labor, park	12 37
R Nash, watching	13 00
Reno Elec Light Co., town lights	174 00
Reno Water Co., town water	50 00
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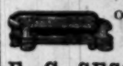

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A THEFT IN ART.

The Story of a Missing Portrait of Washington.

Belief That It Is Still in Existence in the Isle of Man—The Portrait Originally Intended for the White House.

One of the most singular stories in the annals of art is the theft and disappearance of an authentic full length of George Washington, painted by Gilbert Stuart, the friend and pupil of West, says the London Black and White. This long missing portrait was one of three replicas made by Stuart from the well-known original painted to the commission of the celebrated Marquis of Lansdowne. That original and two of the copies are well and clearly accounted for; but the third disappeared in the following manner, and has never since been heard of. The portrait was painted for Gardner Baker, of New York, an active member of the society of St. Tammany, which at his suggession established a museum. This museum was in 1795 made over to Baker, who added among other attractions the full length of the great general. In 1798 he appears to have gone to Boston to exhibit the picture; but, dying there of yellow fever, the portrait went to a Mr. Laing in satisfaction of a claim. By and by the committee charged with furnishing the president's house at Washington bought the picture, which was intrusted to one Winstanley, a tricky 'e'er-do-weel of a painter, to pack and deliver. Winstanley, however, copied the Stuart in his own vile way, delivered the copy, and fled to England with the original. Stuart himself was the first to discover and denounce the fraud. But though he repudiated the canvas that still hangs in the white house, and though the evidence against it is overwhelming, patriotic citizens of the states will still believe it to be the genuine portrait repeated by Stuart himself from the Lansdowne full length. What became of the genuine work stolen by Winstanley, painter and thief?

Well, there is considerable reason to believe that it is now in the possession of William Burrows, a picture dealer at Douglas, Isle of Man. Some time ago there was a sale at Mount Vernon in that island, in consequence of the death of Mrs. Harrison, who was a Mrs. Hancock (having been twice married) and a daughter of one Breed, who formerly owned Breed island in Boston harbor, whose name is immortalized in the battle of Breed's hill, and who settled in the Isle of Man early in the century. Among a variety of pictures disposed of at the aforesaid sale was a fine full length in oil of George Washington, and a capital impression of the engraving which Heath made from the Lansdowne portrait, thus robbing Stuart of his copyright, and leading to probably the first and certainly the bitterest dispute on record concerning American and English artistic rights. Mr. Burrows bought all the pictures at the sale, and the print, the masterly style of the painting, and its all but complete identity with the engraving led him to conclude he had acquired a genuine Stuart Washington. Hence those recent paragraphs anent the "discovery" in the Isle of Man; hence a journey to London, picture in hand, to consult the experts.

Now the experts all agree that it is not only a genuine Stuart, but a very fine specimen in point alike of color, handling, design and (not less important) of preservation. Mr. Burrows' canvas is essentially the same (the differences between it and the Lansdowne being extremely slight, and not even so marked as those which, as a rule, naturally appear in replicas); but the Lansdowne does not equal the delicacy and distinction of the work now in Mr. Burrows' possession, but which ought properly to be in the national portrait gallery. The only portrait of Washington there is poor—so poor indeed that apparently the authorities don't think it worth exhibiting. Washington, after all, was as much British as American; and the national album certainly should contain a likeness worthy of the man and of the two peoples. But the authorities are so impecunious that they can only offer a comparatively small price. Such an offer has been made, it is understood; but the figure named is quite below the market value of the picture, which, unless some special means are taken to acquire it for the nation, will assuredly be snapped up by some patriotic American millionaire.

Finally, there is the question of identity. Space forbids such a lengthy statement as could be made of the facts, but, briefly, the considerations in favor of this being the replica originally intended for the white house are these: Winstanley came to England, presumably with the portrait, about the same time as Breed. What more likely than that Breed purchased the picture for his Isle of Man home, which he named "Mount Vernon," after Washington's? It has hung in the principal room there for nearly ninety years; Heath's engraving (purchased probably at the time of publication), being in the bedroom. It is pretty certain that Winstanley stole the picture to sell; it is not unlikely that he sold it to Breed. This Isle of Man picture is a genuine Stuart and obviously a careful replica on a smaller scale of the Lansdowne portrait; it supplies in all essential points, apparently, the missing full length. If, therefore, this is not the white house portrait then Stuart painted another full length hitherto unrecorded; or there was a painter who painted in exactly Stuart's manner and forged his signature, about whom history and we know nothing.

Looks Deceive.

When a man walks diagonally and slowly across a street with shoulders stooped, head bent forward, both hands in his trousers pockets and a generally dejected air about his person, it is no sign that he is sick at heart, discouraged and perhaps reckless. I saw a man behaving in the manner described, says a writer in the Detroit Free Press, and I happened to know that clutched in either hand were legal tender notes representing over eight thousand dollars net profit in a business deal he had just concluded and that he was feeling fairly well over the transaction.

A FROG MAINSPRING.

The Average Horse Ruined by the Way His Hoof is Treated.

You often see a horse hobbling around on its toes and with stiff front legs. It has always been a surprise to me that the Humane society did not take up some of these cases, says a horseshoer in the St. Louis Globe-Democrat, investigate them and punish the people at fault. There is only one way to shoe a horse, and the men in the business would, of course, prefer doing it that way, properly. A great many horse owners, however, imagine that they know all about it, and they insist that the shoe be put on so as to lift the rear of the hoof up high enough to prevent the frog from touching the ground. We may argue the case, but that is about all the good it does. We have to put the shoe on in accordance with the ideas of the owner. The fact is that the frog is the mainspring of the animal.

It is soft and elastic, and apparently more easily injured than the harder substance of the hoof, but for all that it is the one part that should be utilized. If it wasn't for use it wouldn't be there. Lift it from the ground and you find your animal walking on his toes. Gradually his legs begin to stiffen, and finally the three bones in his forelegs become one solid bone, and there is no more movement of them than if the horse was walking on stilts. It is just about the same as allowing a pair of hinges to remain out in the weather until they become rusted solid, except that with the hinges you can break the rust off, oil them up and work them. But with the horse's leg you can never separate the bones again.

Heroism of a Girl.

A girl of eighteen years, the daughter of a sea captain, recently navigated her father's ship when he and all the crew were down with yellow fever. The bark, a coasting vessel, bound from South America to Savannah, was last spoken at sea off Navassa, when all hands were reported ill with yellow fever, and no attempt was made by the vessel which reported her to give any assistance. The master of the bark had with him on board his only daughter, who appears to have been the last to catch the fever. With the aid of one or two sailors, who managed to crawl to the deck, she navigated the vessel for several hundreds of miles, and succeeded in reaching port with the crew dead and dying and the captain in a critical condition.

"German Syrup"

Here is an incident from the South—Mississippi, written in April, 1890, just after the Grippe had visited that country. "I am a farmer, one of those who have to rise early and work late. At the beginning of last Winter I was on a trip to the City of Vicksburg, Miss., where I got well drenched in a shower of rain. I went home and was soon after seized with a dry, hacking cough. This grew worse every day, until I had to seek relief. I consulted Dr. Dixon who has since died, and he told me to get a bottle of Boschee's German Syrup. Meantime my cough grew worse and worse and then the Grippe came along and I caught that also very severely. My condition then compelled me to do something. I got two bottles of German Syrup. I began using them, and before taking much of the second bottle, I was entirely clear of the Cough that had hung to me so long, the Grippe, and all its bad effects. I felt tip-top and have felt that way ever since." PETER J. BRIALS, Jr., Cayuga, Hines Co., Miss.

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